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A Happy New Year - Everyone

We Sincerely Trust that it will be prosperous and that it will see Peace restored to the Earth

Mrs. Alma Betts Passes After Lengthy Illness

Raymond and district was saddened at the end of the old year, by the news of the passing early in the morning of December 31st at her home of Mrs. Effie Wixon Betts, aged 51, wife of Alma Betts pioneer citizen of Raymond. While not entirely unexpected, as deceased had been in poor health for a long time past, the news still came as a shock, and climaxed two or three weeks of intense and painful suffering. Funeral services were held in the First Ward Chapel at 2 p.m. Monday afternoon with Bishop J. O. Hicken in charge. Ira McBride conducted the choir and Roi Stone was at the organ. Flowers covered the casket and the stand behind and were carried in and out of the chapel by school chums of LeVere Betts, youngest child of deceased.

The opening song was "Oh My Father" and the invocation was offered by Elder C.R. Wing, following which the choir sang "Nearer My God to Thee."

Mrs. A. J. Walton was the first speaker. She had lived neighbors to deceased for twelve years or so and had become well acquainted. She had learned what it is to have a real neighbor as deceased was, and there was never a time when she was too tired or too busy to assist when help was needed. Deceased was very patient, and even during her worst illness and suffering she had never been known to find fault or to complain. She had reared eight children, four boys and four girls and had two boys in the service, now in Italy. She hoped the husband and children would find some comfort in their mother's passing in the promise of the Master for a resurrection and a reunion.

Mrs. J.G. Snow and T.T. Mendenhall rendered a vocal duet.

Elder Clarence Alfred spoke of the soldiering together of Alma Betts and Azar Briggs in the Philippine Islands in the Spanish-American war, and of the coming together to Southern Alberta and settling, one in Magrath and one in Raymond. Many years ago, the Betts family moved to the Magrath district to homestead along with other families from this district and while there deceased had assisted greatly in the Church work that was carried on. Sunday school being held in the church house for a long time. Her faith in the New Testament promises, the promises of the resurrection and hope of the husband and family would find consolation from these promises.

Bishop J. O. Hicken spoke briefly and said that every faithful anchor to make it safe & deceased had taught the principles of the Gospel to her children, along with her husband until all the children had a solid anchor for the journey through life. He thanked all who had in any way assisted during the illness and death of deceased.

The closing song was "We Lay Thee Softly Down to Rest" and the benediction was pronounced by Stake Pres. T. Geo.

LIONS CLUB MEETING

The regular meeting of the Lions Club was held Monday January 3rd in the Sugar Bowl, with Pres. G. Snow in the chair. "Oh Canada" was sung followed by prayer by Dean Rolfson.

Lion F. Leavitt was present and was asked to say a few words regarding his work on Vancouver Island. His remarks were appreciated by the members.

Lion Mark Heninger was also present and thanked the Club for the Xmas parcel he had received. He related some of the experiences he had during his course in the Air Force.

Lion Rulon Dahl reported that Lion Paul Evans was making frequent trips over Enemy territory in Germany.

Lion tamer M. T. King led the members in community singing after which the meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

Magrath Wins Tournament

Good crowds attended the High School Basketball Tournament Monday and Tuesday of last week. Winners Monday night were Magrath over Cardston and Raymond over Stirling Tuesday night Cardston won from the newly organized Stirling team with a good margin, and Magrath trounced the local team in no uncertain manner. A dance was held after the games Tuesday night and a good crowd of visiting basketball players remained to enjoy the dance in the newly renovated Opera House.

Successful Mutual Banquet

A very successful Stake Mutual M Men and Gleaner Banquet was held in the Stake House Monday evening December 27th when about 175 were seated at the tables and enjoyed a Xmas menu in real earnest. Because of the Basketball Tournament it was late before the last of the tables were served.

A dance followed the banquet and while the time was rather short, everyone enjoyed themselves until just past the midnight hour.

TRAIN TODAY AND FLY TOMORROW

World. A nice cortege followed the remains to the cemetery where Christensen Bros. had charge of the interment.

Besides her husband, the following children are left to mourn her passing, Mrs. Geo. Lyons, Lethbridge, Howard of Raymond, Mrs. Clarence Pacyson, Selkirk, B. C., Mrs. Lovett Lee Raymond, Thorai and Lawrence with the 8th Army in Italy, Harold and VeVeve at home. To

in we extend our deepest sympathy in their loss.

The Kind of Post-War World I Want

FAMOUS NOVELIST CALLS ON HUMANITY TO TAKE ONE STEP FORWARD
By Sir PHILIP GIBBS

(By Special Cable to the Star Weekly from London)

The world I should like to see after this war is not an earthly paradise, for that would be aiming too high, not a poet's dream of Utopia in which all is blessed and beautiful, but just a world liberated from its terrors and unnecessary agonies.

It needs but one step forward in human intelligence and moral character. Is humanity able to take that one step forward?

The world I want after the war is a world at peace—peace lasting longer than a mere respite between this war and a next in 20 years or so—with a sense of security.

In peace, nations could put all their vitality and genius into their arts and the craftsmanship of life, providing its necessities with a fair share of comfort and a fair share of fun, with time for the higher development of their mind and of their spirit.

It would be a world without identity cards, passports, customs barriers, unequal exchanges of currency, secret police or international spies. With peace assured there would be no need of frontiers and passports and spies. Men and women would move freely about the world, using the airways of the sky to all the world's airports. They would travel in great airliners far bigger than any of our present bombers.

The old nations, frontierless, would preserve their own languages, traditions and local customs, but there would be a simple international language which would enable travellers to exchange simple ideas with Chinese, Russians, Poles or other folk. This would be another barrier broken down—the barrier of the mind.

Air travel itself would bring all peoples closer into touch with each other and kill that ancient instinct of the isolated mind; 'There's a furriner. Eave a brick at him.' Chinese and Japanese would stroll up the Strand—a more beautiful Strand—and Londoners would walk around Tokyo and Canton on holiday cruises through the skies.

There would be a free exchange in scholarship and knowledge. Students from one country would move about, if they liked, from one university to another, from Oxford to Vienna, Moscow to Cambridge, Paris to Prague.

A fantastic dream? Yes, certainly if men's intelligence is incapable of seeing truth staring them in the eyes and of learning to take one short step away from the dark pit which otherwise awaits.

For it is now the simple truth that if we maintain old national rivalries and barriers, civilization as we know it and like it will be blotted out in dust and ashes. The world I want after the

war will not be a soft life in the lap of luxury or some lovely garden with marble palaces to which young lovers go hand in hand to soft music. There will be peasants on the soil, craftsmen in the workshops though few miners in the mines, because steel and iron will be replaced by plastics made more cleanly without danger in the darkness to the lives of men.

But there will be no longer the great gulf between poverty and wealth, overfeeding and hunger. With tariff barriers down, a free trade system and an international currency with world markets regulated—and the basic necessities of life distributed according to the world's needs, hunger and famine will be unknown.

Starry-eyed idealism? Yes, if the old forces of greed and reaction are allowed to prevail as now they are digging in to make such a post-war world impossible. But a linking up with the best minds in the United States and the British Empire would extend such a system over a wide area of the world.

Henry A. Wallace, vice-president of the United States, and others have planned it as a feasible thing in great detail and as one of the essentials for the prevention of world war number three.

Some of the major evils of this world are surely due to lack of education in the broadest sense of that word. In the post war world as I should like to see it, the highest range of knowledge should be made available to all individuals who wish to pursue it so that it is no longer a privilege of class and wealth.

John Lanyshoff was in Calgary for a few days this week on business in connection with the local Air Cadet troop.

Stan Jones of Olds spent a few days here over the New Year with his father and other relatives.

C. J. Landeryou Addresses Meeting

About 100 persons were in attendance Wednesday night for the meeting of C.J. Landeryou of Lethbridge when he talked on "Banking and Insurance." It was an interesting talk and was followed by a period of questions and discussion.

While Canada minted her own coins, and printed her \$1 and \$2 bills, she stopped there, and the control of credit was turned over to private enterprise. Mr. Landeryou argued that this was no as it should be, that the government should have control of all money and instead of Canada borrowing from the chartered banks, the banks should borrow from Canada. This he stated would solve a great many of our national problems and make the burden of taxation and debt much lighter than it is.

Niel Eklund, Twin Butte Is Laid to Rest Here

MISS JEAN HINDS



CBC's Prairie Region Women's Commentator is heard daily Mondays through Fridays, at 9:30 a.m. (CDT 8:30 a.m. MDT) from Winnipeg.

Miss Hinds Entered

Three of Raymond's business houses, and the Town Hall were entered sometime in the early hours of Wednesday morning by breaking the glass in the doors and reaching in and turning off the night latch. So far as can be determined very little was taken and cash in the tills was not bothered.

The outside door to King Motors was opened, and not satisfied with this he or they broke the glass out of the parts room door and rambled around in here. This was presumably about three a.m. as John Horvath who sleeps in the back part of his shoe shop heard someone moving around about this time. They went into Stone's and opened the cash register, and then went into the office and here they went into the office and remained for some time. Then the Mercantile was visited by breaking the front door into the Dry Goods department. Howard Peiks, who cares for the Mercantile, five seen them in the semi-darkness about 6 a.m. and went to rouse someone and when he returned they had left the store and were going along the street. He followed, but the men disappeared.

The Town Hall was entered and also the Constable's office, which was pretty badly ransacked and some revolver ammunition taken. Shells were also missing from some of the other stores. Police are working on the case, and a finger print expert has been on the job, some clear prints being left on the Mercantile desk particularly.

The Genealogical Committee had charge of the Sunday evening program in the 2nd Ward and Mrs. L. L. Palmer and A.E. Hancock were the speakers of the evening. A nice musical program was given.

The benediction, Christensen Bros. were in charge of the graveside ceremonies.

Niels Eklund, 80 pioneer of Raymond in 1904, later moving to the Twin Butte country, was buried in the local cemetery by the side of his wife who passed away here about 40 years ago just about a year after the family arrived here from Utah.

Bishop Glenn Fisher of the Hill Spring ward was in charge of the service, and the choir was conducted by Jos. McLean with Mrs. Emma Dahl at the organ. A number of friends from the Hill Spring and Twin Butte districts were present for the service as well as a number of Raymond people who had been acquainted with the family during their residence here.

Elder Jas. E. Meeks was the first speaker and referred to his acquaintance with the Eklund family in Fremont, Utah, and later associating with them when they arrived here in 1903, he and his brother having come in 1902. He paid tribute to the splendid character of deceased and the solicitude of the family and the hope of the resurrection and the eternal life of the family association in eternity. Deceased was a real pioneer, having assisted in the settlement of this district, and later moving to Twin Butte where he assisted in opening up that country for settlement and he and his family took a prominent part in the growth and development of that district.

Elder J. W. Evans was the next speaker and related his holding the funeral of deceased's wife at the farm home a mile north of the Sugar Factory in the spring of 1904. He remembered as though it were yesterday the sorrowing husband whose body lies before us today, sitting by the casket of his wife and surrounded by his young family, some of them in his arms, and he paid tribute to deceased, and his son Alvin, particularly who had helped so much in rearing the younger brothers and sisters. He spoke of the plan of salvation and exaltation and lauded deceased who had done all possible to assist in seeing that the family union should be made eternal.

Elder Z. W. Jacobs, until recently a member of the Alberta Stake Presidency, was the concluding speaker and paid tribute to the Eklund family who were real pioneers and the father had left a name for his family to honor and uphold. He preached a fine sermon on the resurrection and pointed out the necessity of individual effort in living our lives, stating that while Christ removed the effects of Adam's sin, it was up to each of us to work out our own future by obedience to the laws of the Gospel as taught by the Savior.

Special numbers were a solo 'One Sweetly Solemn Thought' by Jos. McLean, and a vocal duet 'When the World Forgets' by Mesdames J.H. Walker and L. D. King. Choir hymns were 'Abide With Me,' 'The Lord is My Shepherd' and 'I Need Thee Every Hour.' Elder Travers Smith offered the invocation and Elder Rulon Dahl

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PLEASE! YOUNG FOLKS!

Raymond is very fortunate in having splendid churches, recreation centres and schools fitted with all the conveniences and comforts that present day science and invention can provide, and it is a regrettable fact that some of our younger people apparently fail to appreciate these advantages. We don't like to find fault, & we know that our young people are amongst the finest that can be found anywhere, and that is why we can hardly understand why such things should take place as are reported from time to time from these public buildings.

At the 2nd Ward recently the janitor showed us the rest rooms. We were surprised beyond words to see the utter disregard for the waste paper basket and unnecessary abuse and muss caused by filling toilet bowls to the top with the heavy paper towels and paper strung all over the floor. Why? Before these conveniences were installed everyone found fault with the outside plumbing and the lack of sanitary conveniences for the Church and Recreation hall as public centres, and now many fail utterly to show any respect for the conveniences that have

been provided. We wouldn't do these things at home or in a hotel, why will we be a party to it in our public buildings.

You tell us.

During the holiday week at Opera House, one of the rest rooms was so abused that water ran out of the toilet bowl and was coursing freely across the floor and people were still persisting in trying to use the toilet. Why? We wouldn't think of anything like this in any other than a public place. Thousands of dollars have been spent, especially in the renovation of the Opera House to make it something we can all appreciate and be proud of. If you had spent days and weeks of your time absolutely free, as the sponsors of these improvements have all done to make such a really fine centre, well painted, well lighted fine equipment and all, just how would you feel if it were all abused and treated as disrespectfully as these buildings are being treated by some.

One of our citizens had relatives visiting for Christmas, and Sunday morning the rear view mirror on the light delivery truck was twisted off its shank and the mirror gone. What in heaven's name would a person want of a mirror ruined as this one was before it was removed from the truck?

Now, young people, we are not accusing you, but it would appear that there must be some in the town who can hardly qualify as ladies and gentlemen who are descending to these things. Can the rest of us build up a sentiment against such practices that will cause it to stop, or must we stand by and see these fine rest rooms padlocked and respectable citizens

and visitors robbed of the conveniences to which they are entitled because of the silly practices of a few. A new check room has been built, and because some have started to borrow the hangers to take them home, this room has had to be padlocked, except when there are attendants in charge. Are we that poor that we can't buy ourselves a hanger?

Reason this thing out a little. If YOU appreciate these improvements and conveniences, (and we are sure you do), then respect them and try to get your pals to respect them. It is certainly a reflection on any community when public property is as badly treated as these rest rooms are. If there were any cause for it, it would be quite a different story. However, it is dam foolishness or dam craziness, whichever you like, and apparently, we must constitute ourselves a committee to assist management and janitors of our public buildings in stamping these practices out. Otherwise we will lose these conveniences and improvements and be back where we were in the horse and buggy days. Let's all give it a little thought.

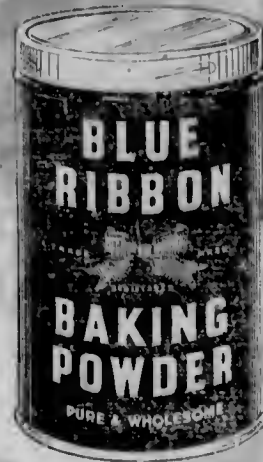
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hancock were business visitors in Lethbridge on Tuesday.

Mrs. Zina Anderson was a flu victim over the week-end and was confined to the house for almost a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pilling who have been living here this winter, spent the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends in the Leavitt district.

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Mr. and Mrs. Moses Fromm were Lethbridge visitors last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Durant of Salt Lake City, Utah, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. Fromm over the New Year week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. May spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives and friends in the Carleton district, returning home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Price of Picture Butte and Mrs. C. E. Fawns of Lethbridge were Raymond visitors Sunday afternoon at the Ira McBride home.



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Schools opened again Monday morning after a ten day holiday. Flu is abating somewhat and the school attendance is better than it was before the holidays.

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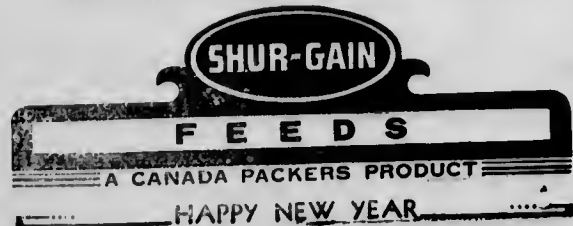
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NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

I am grateful for this opportunity to extend for the first time as Premier the sincere best wishes of myself and my colleagues to all for a happy and prosperous New Year.

As we stand on the threshold of 1944 we can look with assurance into the future with greater confidence than we have known during the past four and a half years of war. We have encouraging assurance of our highest military leaders that if all of us does his or her share victory may crown our efforts in 1944. During the past year we have witnessed with admiration the heroic achievements of the fighting forces of the United Nations. We have learned with justifiable pride and undying gratitude of the gallant feats of arms performed by Canada's own fighting sons.

While cheering news comes from the battle fronts of the world we may also find much at home to sustain our bright outlook. Our production levels have soared to unprecedented heights and our harvests have been bountiful and our people in all walks of life are working together with one united purpose to hasten the day when loved ones will at long last be reunited and when the din of battle will give way to a just and enduring peace, but let us not be satisfied with what has been achieved. Our task is not yet finished. Let us therefore go forward into the New Year united and resolute in our determination to stand shoulder to shoulder with our fighting sons in the hour of their supreme test and to do all in our power to make Canada a country worthy of their magnificent sacrifice.

We would do well as a people to adopt as a national resolution for the coming year the memorable words of Abraham Lincoln:

"With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in; to bind up the nation's wounds; to care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow, and his orphan to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves, and with all nations."

E. C. MANNING,
Premier.

NEWS NOTES

Nynl Earl of the R.C.A.F. spent a few days in Raymond over the week-end.

Heber Allen was a victim of the flu over the week-end and spent New Year's indoors. He is improving steadily now.

The flu played mean tricks on Xmas programs in both wards when most of the numbers were absent because of illness.

Arthur Dahl of Cardston spent the New Year's holiday with members of his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Jacobs of Cardston spent New Year's Day and Sunday in Raymond with their son Lyman and family.

Teddy Allen who has been in Vancouver for some months past was home for a part of the holiday season. He looks fine and the coast climate seems to agree with him.

Bishop L. L. Palmer was a flu victim over the week-end being forced to go home from the Post Office Friday afternoon and remaining indoors until Monday when he went to the Post Office.

Happy New Year folks. 1944 will be very largely what we make it. Don't let it's end still find you thinking of the good you were going to do last year, but get busy and do that good deed today.

CAPITOL Raymond

SHOWING FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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Also "TRAIN BUSTERS"

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HUMPHREY BOGART IN

"SAHARA"

SOON SOON SOON! SOON!

"RANDOM HARVEST"

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Holt returned home Monday night after spending the holidays with Mrs. Holt's folks in Calgary.

The Stake Missionaries will have the program in the 1st Ward Sunday evening and an interesting program is being arranged. Everyone is invited to attend.

Well here it is January 6th and no snow. We like it. If it means a summerless summer we will worry about it next summer. We can't do anything about it anyway.

Volney Phillips, who has been engaged in road work in Northern Alberta and the Yukon during the summer is home for a couple of weeks and is returning again to his work there. He likes it very much and says the weather is much like our own here.

Dances were held nearly every night except Sunday between Christmas Eve and New Year's night and all are reported as very successful. Nolan's Canadians played for most of them and dancers were high in their praise of this band.

Stake Mission President C. C. Spence was a Raymond visitor Sunday in connection with the missionary work.

Mrs. Roy Woolley spent part of the Christmas holidays in Cardston with relatives. She returned home Wednesday morning.

Willard Paxman, Grant Paxman and Reed Walker who are attending the School of Agriculture at Olds were home for the holidays and returned Monday morning.

Miss Greta Bowers of Cardston spent the New Year's in Raymond, the guest of Miss Ione Christensen. She returned to the Temple City on Tuesday's bus.

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As the above pictures illustrate, today's Chateau Frontenac (inset), with 723 guest rooms, is much enlarged over the 1893 hostelry (main picture) which started the company's move into the coast-to-coast hotel field. In 1898-99 the first addition,

the Citadel Wing, was made to the original structure. Since then the Mont Royal Wing in 1908-09, the St. Louis Wing in 1920-22 and the Central Tower, from 1920-21, have been added, with further major improvements being made in 1926.

Some of the additions called for marvels of planning such as the excavation of more than 40,000 cubic yards of rock from a space entirely surrounded by adjacent structures, which continued in full operation, thereby reducing the use of blasting to the minimum. Moreover, on the tower was completed during the winter and often storms and high winds made it impossible to work.

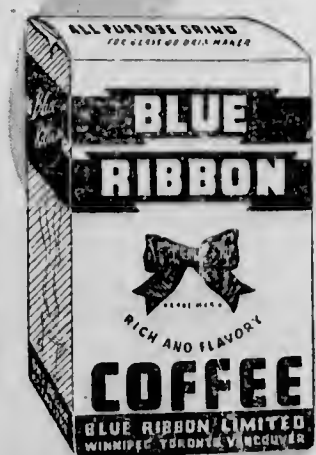
Very few hotels anywhere have had their royal suites as busy as the Chateau Frontenac which has

housed in its day King George V; Their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, during the Royal Visit of 1939; and governors general of Canada and their consorts from the Earl of Aberdeen down to the Earl of Athlone.

With all this in its 50-year background of distinguished service it still remained for August of 1943 to bring its greatest hour to the Chateau Frontenac, which is managed by B. A. Neale and under the direction of H. P. Matthews, general manager of hotels. Last August it was for 18 days the very "nervous centre" of the Quebec Conference as Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Franklin Delano Roosevelt met in the Ancient Capital, with Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King.

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At present, there is no single laboratory where farmers may obtain information on the general health of seed samples. It is impossible to obtain maximum yields of high quality grain, unless the following considerations receive due attention:

1. Pure seed of a suitable variety.
2. Good cropping and tillage practices.
3. A high percentage of seeds capable of vigorous germination.
4. Absence of seed-borne diseases or provision for control.
5. The quantity and kind of weed seeds in the seed.

Our post-war plan includes these tests

Item three has engaged our attention for three years. Confidence in our tests has been well maintained and demands on the service have increased as follows:

- 1940-41 — 4,934 samples
- 1941-42 — 9,083 samples
- 1942-43 — 11,078 samples

Judging from receipts to date, we shall probably test about 13,000 samples this year. Many farmers are asking for information on seed-borne diseases, the necessity for seed treatment, and on weed seeds. As a result, we have been authorized by our Line Elevator sponsors to announce, as a post-war plan, the expansion of our laboratory facilities so as to provide for a complete clinical examination of cereal crop seeds. For the first year, we shall undertake to make complete tests on wheat only, continuing with germination tests on oats, barley, rye and flax.

Canada must be prepared to meet competition on the world wheat market. To do so we must jealously guard our reputation for high quality and this, plus service to the individual farmer, is our purpose.

Want Ads.

FOR SALE—Black Milk cow, 5 years old, freshened in November, also bay mare 10 years old.—Frank Sera, Raymond 14

FOUND—Near Thanksgiving time a fur cap. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. and identifying cap.

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TOP PRICES FOR YOUR HOGS—I buy hogs every Thursday at the Raymond Stock yards, highest prices.—Ern. H. Nilsson, Raymond.

NEWS NOTES

Elmer Wilde spent a part of the Christmas week at the Cardston district with friends.

Jack Mendenhall of Ranier, Alta, was a Raymond visitor on Tuesday this week.

E. N. Peterson, J. S. Brandle and W. H. Spackman of Stirling were Raymond visitors Wednesday evening and attended the Landryou meeting here.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to all our kind neighbors and friends who were so kind and considerate during the illness and death of our loving wife and mother. Your kindness will never be forgotten and we thank you all from the bottom of our hearts.

A. Betts and children.

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